GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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Privatisation of Airports
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to privatize airports under Airports Authority of India in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of airports currently working under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode; and

(d) whether the PPP mode brings better management and development of airports and if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION

(Shri Jayant Sinha)

(a): No Madam.

(b): Does not arise in view of (a) above.

(c): Presently two Brownfield airports at Delhi and Mumbai and three Greenfield airports at Hyderabad, Bangalore and Cochin are operational under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode.

(d): Yes Madam. With the implementation of Public Private Partnership projects at both Brownfield and Greenfield airports, the infrastructure and service delivery at Indian airports has improved at par with international standards. The PPP airports consistently feature in the top ranks in the global ranking published by the Airport Council International.